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ARMY SECURITY AGENCY  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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Mr. Allen W. Dulles  
c/o Sullivan & Cromwell Law Firm  
48 Wall Street  
New York, New York

Dear Mr. Dulles:


I have just finished reading the report of your Committee and I would like for you to know how greatly impressed I am by its thoroughness. You and your Committee members certainly deserve a most sympathetic hearing by the powers that be and I most sincerely hope that they will take to heart your comments and recommendations and take the necessary steps to put us on a sound intelligence footing before it is too late.

I find myself in almost complete agreement with everything in the report. Naturally there are a few things upon which I might have put a little more stress but, of course, that is what makes horse races. I was greatly impressed by Chapter 5. I think that is one of the most comprehensive analyses of the problem which I have had the good fortune to read.

May I express to you and your Committee my hope that any one of you, or better still, all three of you, will be given the job of bringing order out of chaos in the field which you have done such a good job of investigating.

Kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

  
CARTER W. CLARKE  
Colonel, Signal Corps  
Chief, Army Security Agency

*P.S. Come see me  
next time you are  
in our Village.*

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